

FORDER HOUSE News



Term 3 - 2025

HOUSEMASTER'S REPORT

The third term at Forder House was bustling with activity, featuring impressive academic achievements, sports victories, and lively cultural events. Our students tackled the busy term with great energy and commitment, showing their dedication and resilience. Even with the hectic pace, we kept our focus on maintaining balance and well-being. Let's review the key moments of our active term.

Inter-House Result

As the third term wraps up, Forder House is in 9th place in the inter-house standings. This ranking reflects our students' enthusiastic effort and participation. We're motivated to improve our position next term, using this term's experiences as a springboard for growth. We look forward to moving up in the rankings.

House Leadership

The strong leadership from our house leaders has been crucial to the success and spirit of Forder House. Their motivation and dedication have inspired their peers and created a sense of unity and pride within our house. We deeply appreciate their exceptional efforts and commitment to our house's well-being and success.

Academic Achievements

We're proud of our students' academic successes this term. Many ranked in the Top 10, showcasing their hard work and intellectual curiosity. This highlights our dedication to academic excellence and

creating an environment where every student can excel.

In summary, the third term at Forder House has been marked by significant achievements, lively competition, and a strong commitment to both well-being and academic success. We are dedicated to maintaining a supportive environment where all students can thrive. With the ongoing support from our mentors, house leaders, teachers, students, and parents, we are confident that Forder House will continue to grow and succeed. Let's carry forward the lessons learned and the momentum gained into the next term, with a shared vision of success and teamwork.

Mr N Croeser Housemaster

HOUSE LEADER REPORT

As we conclude Term 3, Forder House has shown commendable performance overall, consistently placing between fourth and seventh in various events. While we may not be the most athletic house, our strong team spirit and determination have driven us to achieve these positions.

As captain of Forder House, I've deeply appreciated the significant support and leadership provided by our house leaders. Their efforts have been instrumental, and it's been gratifying to see all forms respect and listen to us as we guide the house.

Pro aris et focis

Rudi Boshoff House Captain

MISSION STATEMENT

At Forder House, we're inspired by the powerful Griffin. Together, we aim for strength, courage, and prestige through teamwork. Each person brings unique talents, creating unity and a strong drive for excellence. The Griffin symbolises our journey, and we want to make a lasting impact as we work together and aim for greatness.

MOTTO

Magnitudinem Evocans.

(Unleashing Greatness.)



OUR HOUSE

HOUSE COMPETITION

As we reflect on the sporting and cultural achievements of Forder House this term, I am pleased with the dedication and enthusiasm shown by our boys. While we celebrate our achievements, it's evident that there is room for improvement, as we secured ninth place on the overall points table. The level of participation in house competitions has been commendable, and with even greater engagement next term, we hold optimistic aspirations of climbing up the table.

HOUSE AWARDS

During the course of the term a number of our boys received awards. A hearty congratulations to the following boys:

D Colenbrander Large White Badge (Rugby)

M Murukezi Large White Badge

(Volleyball)

E Mabanga Large White Badge (Rugby)

S Gwala Colours (Academics)

MERIT AWARDS

At the conclusion of the term, the following boys were recognised as the top merit achievers in Forder House:

N Steyn

S Moodley

B Kheswa

J Smith

S Bhengu

M Kader

K Ramersadh

D Rencken

TOP 10 AND GOOD REPORT TEA

Congratulations to the top 10 academic students in form 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6! These students showcased exceptional performance in the second term of 2025, earning them a well-deserved special tea and certificate to commemorate their hard work. Keep up the outstanding effort and dedication!

Congratulations to the following boys:



Form 3

Samuel Wessels Seventh

Form 4

Abhay Ramlall Fifth

Form 6

Michael Brunkhorst First
Daniel Brunkhorst Second

(L-R: D Brunkhorst, M Brunkhorts, Mr S Stopford,

A Ramlall, S Wessels)

FROM THE BOYS

CULTURE, ACADEMIC AND SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

SPORT AND CULTURAL AWARDS CEREMONY

Celebrating Sporting and Cultural Excellence at Maritzburg College. On 25 September Maritzburg College paid tribute to the school's top sport and cultural achievers for 2025 at the annual Sports and Cultural Awards Ceremony held in the Alan Paton Memorial Hall. The event provided an opportunity to recognise and celebrate the year's outstanding performances across the school's large and diverse range of sport and cultural codes.

In Forder House we were delighted to see thirteen of our boys recognised for their achievements. Congratulations goes to the following boys for receiving the following awards:

Cameron Mackenzie Trophy for Most Promising Musician

NE Vengai



DJ Berry-Jennings Cup for U18 Athletics Champion, College Shield & Victor Ludorum

UO Gamede



'Slow' Ngcobo Memorial Trophy for Outstanding Contribution to Basketball

O Ntombela



Oscar Servant Trophy for Most Improved Golfer

LC Govender



Dieter Scholesser Trophy for Most Improved Player in the 1st Hockey XI

GA Askew



Luyanda Ntshangase Memorial Shield for Most Improved Player in the 1st Soccer XI

B Parak



Warren Shuttleworth Memorial Trophy for U15 Swimming Champion

JR Moore

Dudley Forde Trophy for U17 Swimming Champion

CB Potgieter



Roy Foster Memorial Trophy for Most Improved Water Polo Player in Form Five

HD Goddard

Matt Kemp Trophy for Most Improved Water Polo Goalkeeper

JM van der Merwe

Martizburg College Trophy for Junior Table Tennis Champion

S Moodley

Hatton's Cycles Trophy for Most Promising Junior Cyclist

D Rencken

Oscar Servant Trophy for the Most Committed Tennis Player in the 1st Team

S Deane

Wishing you all a wonderful holiday. Mr N Croeser (Housemaster)